A SALE OF RUGS,

Especially Adapted for Summer Homes.

We place upon sale this week the balance of an exceedingly choice assortment of very artistic Wilton Rugs in fine, rich colorings and exclusive patterns purchased under exceptionally favorable conditions.

9x12 Rugs, \$25.00, that were formerly \$35.00.

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A choice line of Wilton Velvets. at \$1.15 per yd., formerly \$1.50.

Lord & Taylor,

Broadway and Twentieth Street and Fifth Avenue.

UNIONS STIR HERR CONRIED.

OPERA MANAGER AT THE CIVIC FEDERATION MEETING.

Says That Things Can't Go on Next Year as They Did This-New Committee on Trades Agreements-John Mitchell Declares for Strikes and Lockouts

Heinrich Conried of the Metropolitan Opera House turned up at yesterday's eeting of the executive committee of the Civic Federation at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. He was there as a representative of the Theatrical Managers' Association, but did not make a speech to the committee.

Mr. Conried, who has had troubles of his wn with the Theatrical Protective Union nd the Musical Mutual Protective Union ad talks with some of the labor leaders ncluding John Mitchell. After the meet ng he spoke vigorously and freely about s dealings with the unions.

He declared that some of his best scenic effects had been ruined because he could not get the men he had trained to make the necessary shift when he wanted them. Asked what he intended to do next season If the unions followed last year's tactics,

"I am going to stop it. I must. It is utterly impossible to do my work under buch conditions. I have tried to be abruined by petty differences. I have even put up with insults in order that I might not be considered peremptory in giving orders to my own employees in my own opera house. I will not next year go on as I have been doing."

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At the meeting a new committee, known for the present as the committee for promoting joint trade agreements, was appointed. This was one of the committees which was included in a plan of the late Senator Hanna for extending the scope of the Federation.

On the committee are eighteen employers and nineteen heads of unions. The employers included Marcus M. Marks, president of the National Association of Clothiers; John Cooper, president of the Iron League, and representatives of the railroad, printing, building and manufacturing interests. It will meet at the call of the chairman, Francis L. Robbins.

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The first speaker at the meeting was John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers. He reiterated his belief that the right should be conceded to employees to strike and to employers to declare lockouts. He also said that he was not always in favor of leaving matters to arbitration. Arbitration might be preferable to strikes, but that was all. He found the trade agreement the best. Then he said:

"I believe in strikes. I also believe in lockouts, But I believe neither should be resorted to until each side has exhausted every peaceful means for settlement. Nothing can make so much for industrial peace as the recognition of the independence of labor and capital. The great associatonis of employers and employees have come to stay as well as the trade agreement."

In answer to several questions, Mr. Mitchell said he would not consent willingly to arbitration of the eight hour work day. He was also against arbitration of the question of wages.

1,500 AT PARKS'S FUNERAL. Long Procession Follows the Hearse, but

There's No Demonstration.

The funeral of Sam Parks, former leader of the Housesmiths and Bridgemen's Union, took place yesterday from the residence of his widow, 211 last lighty-seventh street. There was no attempt at a demonstration, but 1,000 members of the union, with about 500 workmen in other building trades. paraded behind the hearse. The housesmiths marched four abreast, each man wearing a black badge

Behind the hearse came a carriage filled with flowers, followed by twenty-three other carriages, nine of which were empty. The funeral services were conducted at the house by the Rev. Henry Hebler of the house by the Rev. Henry Hebler of Zion Lutheran Church, on Last Lighty-fourth street. The funeral procession started shortly after 2 o'clock P. M. and marched to Third avenue, down Third avenue'to Second avenue and back to the house again. The procession then went through various streets and marched down Ninety-second street to the ferry, where the body was taken to the Lutheran Cemetery at Middle Village, L. I.

The pallbearers, of whom there were ten, ipcluded former Walking Delegates Delan and Massey and one or two other members of the Housesmiths and Bridgemen's Union who stood by Parks.

Paster Lewis Francis Resigns

After a pastorate of nearly thirty-one Years the Rev. Dr. Lew: Francis of the Kent Street Dutch Reformed Church, in point; has tendered his resignation, to take effect in September. Ever since his thanty-fifth anniversary as pastor of that church he has desired to resign, but the consistory of the church has prevailed upon him to treesin. RACKET KEEPS 'EM AWAKE.

Park Avenue Residents Go to Court to Complain About the Railroad Work. A delegation of women residents in the neighborhood of Park avenue and Fortyfifth street was in the Yorkville police court vesterday to complain of the noise made nights by the workmen who are changing the grade of the New York Central Railroad tracks in Park avenue.

Dr. Carrie Wolfsbruck of 454 Lexington venue was spokeswoman. She said the delegation represented about one hundred residents of the neighborhood who had suffered much by the racket made by steam

suffered much by the racket made by steam shovels working all night and by blasting at frequent intervals.

The physician had obtained a summona for the man in charge of the work. John J. Murray, the transportation manager of the New York Central Railroad, appeared. He wanted to inform the court that he was not in charge of the work and had nothing to do with it. The O'Rourke Construction Company, he asserted, was responsible for whatever was done there.

"This man was very insulting to Dr. Deane of 454 Lexington avenue, who served the summons," the woman said. "When Dr. Deane gave him the summons he told this gentleman that he was unable to sleep nights because of the noise. This gentleman told the doctor to go home and take some dope and then he could sleep."

"I meant that as he was a physician he could take some of his own medicine for insomnia," Murray explained. He said that the contractors were trying to finish the Park avenue tunnel improvement as quicky as they could and were working night and

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day.
"Why don't you complain to the Board
of Health?" Magistrate Pool asked the spokeswoman.
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"We did complain, and the inspector of the Health Department, said the improvement was for the good of the city and could not be interfered with. We only ask that the steam shovels do not work after 11 o'clock at night," she answered.

"The inspector who talked that way is not fit to be in the city's service," said the Maristrate. "The residents have some rights, and if this work on the railroad tunnel is a nuisance a remedy should be apnel is a nuisance a remedy should be ap-plied, and I will hold an examination to determine the merits of the case."

The Magistrate said he would have the

responsible men in court to-morrow and see what could be done to lessen the noise. He then issued summonses for John Doe and Richard Roe.

WILL OF ASHBEL P. FITCH. No Public Bequests-Division Among the Widow and Children.

The will of Ashbel P. Fitch, who died on Tuesday last, was filed for probate yesterday. His son, Ashbel P. Fitch, Jr., as executor, estimates the estate at "over \$10,000." The will was made on June 17. 1901, and a codicil was added on July 30. 1903. The widow and George E. Mott are executors with the son.

Mrs. Fitch inherits all the household

Mrs. Fitch inherits all the household effects and appurtenances of her husband's courtry home at Tarrytown, together with \$50,000 absolutely and a life interest in the residuary estate. Should she remarry, however, the residuary estate reverts to the children, as it does when she dies.

The testator's jewelry is divided among his three daughters, Elizabeth C. Osthy, Doris Fitch and Ella S. Chatain. One son, Littleton Fitch, is to buy himself a \$250 gold watch, on which his father's name is to be engraved, and he also inherits Mr. Fitch's fowling pieces and fishing outfits.

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The other two sons, Morton and Ashhel, inherit various mementoes of their father. Ashbel is to have the law library, but the general library is to be divided among the children equally.

A sister, Mrs. Alice M. Taylor, is to have the income of \$30,000 for life, the fund reverting to the testator's daughters. For each of the latter a trust fund of \$50,000 is created, and trusts of \$20,000 for each of the

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PRESIDENT GARTH LEFT \$148,306 And No Will, So Wife and Children Take

the Estate in Shares. The estate of Granville W. Garth, formerly president of the Mechanics' National Bank, president of the Mechanics' National Bank, who jumped off a Mallory liner at sea and was drowned, has been appraised at \$148,306 in net personal property. It consisted of 1,263 shares of Mechanics' National Bank stock, worth \$74,201, and a balance due him by the bank of \$71,295, on the sale of some collateral which he had put up to secure a loan of \$85,000. His debts and the expenses of administering the estate amounted to \$10,041. There being no will, the widow and three children inherit the estate.

New Namau Street Office Building.

Frederic Day has purchased from the Henderson estate No. 73 Nassau street, an old four story and basement building. It is understood that he has also secured the adjoining plot and that he will erect on the combined plot a ten or twelve story office building. It was at 73 Nassau street that Aaron Burr had his law office.

Special Sale Muslin Underwear, Silk Petticoats, Corsets, Kimonos, Wrappers, Dressing Sacques.

Monday, May 9th.

Night Gowns, Chemises and Skirts, 98c., \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.45, \$2.95.

Drawers, 50c., 75c., 98c., \$1.25,\$1.95,\$2.45.

Odd Pieces in Gowns, Chemises, Drawers and Underskirts, at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Special lot of Fine White Petticoats, lace or embroidery trimmed. \$3.95 to \$10.00, greatly reduced.

Silk Petticoats.

Odd Silk Petticoats in a variety of styles in Black, Colored, and Black and White, also White and Evening Shades in best quality taffeta, in walking length (37 and 39 inches) and regular length (42 inches),

\$5.85 to \$10.75.

Wrappers and Kimonos. Wrappers.

	In Figured Lawn	\$1.95	
	In Figured Lawn	\$2.75	
	White and Figured Dimity, lace or embroidery		
	trimmed; value \$6.75	\$3.95	
É	Kimonos.		
	Long, in Figured Lawn and Dimity	\$1.75	
	" " Plain and Dotted Crépon \$1.85,	\$2.75	
	" " Japanese Silk, plain colors with flowered	pr	
	ribbon	\$5.45	
	Short, in Lawn and Crépon	. 98c	
	Special offering of Wrappers & Dressing Sacc		

Corsets.

in various styles and materials, much below regular price.

Straight Front Corsets.

In Batiste, supporters attached, \$1.25 & \$1.65. In Fancy Broché, supporters attached, front and sides,

\$2.95, value \$4.50.

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GIFT OF \$500,000

Made by Mother Katherine, Who Was a Drexel, for a School for Indians.

Mother Katherine, who was one of the Philadelphia Drexels, and who founded the order of The Sisters of the Bleesed Sacrament for Indians and Colored People announced vesterday that she had given \$500,000 for the establishment and endowment of a school for the Winnebago Indian children on their Nebraska reservation about twenty miles from Sloux City. The gift is presented to Bishop Garrigan of Sioux City and carries only one condtion, that the Indians first give their consent to the establishment of a Catholic school on the reservation.

FAMOUS MONK COMING HERE. Father Ballly de Surey, Head of an Order of Augustinian Fathers.

The Very Rev. Emmanuel Bailly de Surcy, Superior General of the Augustinian Fathers of the Assumption, will arrive in the United States from Rome next Wednesday. He comes to arrange for the establishment of a number of branches of his order and will remain at the rectory of the Augustinian Fathers on West Fourteenth street. Later he will visit his monastery at Greendale near Worcester, Mass., and will go to St.

near Worcester, Mass., and will go to St.
Louis some time in June, where he will
arrange for a St. Louis province.

Father Bailly de Surcy is the son of the
eminent French Catholic who founded the
Conference of St. Vincent de Paul in Paris
many years ago. Another son of M. Bailly
de Surcy, Pere Vincent de Paul, also an
Assumptionist, was prominently identified
with the literary work of the order in France,
including the paper Le Croiz and various
magazines. He was exiled to Belgium,
where he now continues to labor as assistant Superior General, although more than
seventy years of age.

CATHOLIC PROTECTORY HEAD. Brother Henry Chosen to Succeed the Late

Brother Leontine. The official certificate of appointment of Brother Henry of the Brothers of the Christian Schools as director of the Catholic Protectory for wayward or neglected Catho-Protectory for wayward of neglected Catho-lic boys was received from Paris yester-day. This position is one of the most diffi-cult to fill in the entire order. The office was made vacant about one month ago by the death of Brother Leontine, who was head of the Protectory for years. The letter of appointment from the Brother Superior of the order was read in the great hall of the institution last night. Brother Henry had been the assistant of Brother Leontine for the last five years.

Reminican Previncials to Go to Rome All the provincials of the Dominican order in the United States will sail for Rome on Tuesday to attend the election of a superior for the entire order all over the world. The election takes place every

First California Cherries Here. The first shipment of California observes reached New York yesterday. It was a ten pound box and was sold for \$31. The record price for cherries was \$70, paid for a ten pound box that reached Philadelphia.



We've grown six stories just making satisfactory clothes. Reasonable prices built the place. For instance, we ask \$20 for suitings that have a right to a \$40 charge.

What's more to the point, we'll build a suit to measure for \$16 that can be compared with any \$25 suit made elsewhere, or no sale.

Send for samples, measuring blanks and fashion cards!

Broadway & 9th St.

NEW IMMIGRANT BOAT TRIED. iothing Finer and Nothing Much Faster in the Rivers Hereabouts.

The immigration bureau's fine new green ferryboat Ellis Island made her trial trip up the North River yesterday afternoon to a point opposite Yonkers and back, and showed that she is probably as swift as any craft of her class in the harbor. Secretary Cortelyou of the Department of Commerce and Labor; Frank Sargent, Commissioner-General of Immigration; Inspector-General George Uhler of the Steam Vessel Inspection Service, Surgeon-General Walter Wyman, Capt. Newcomb and Lieut. Kotschmar of the revenue cutter service were the guests on the trip of Wil-

The ferryboat is lighted by electricity, has four watertight bulkheads and a double bottom, and her cabin fittings are of polished ash. There is not a finer looking boat in the river-crossing fleet hereabouts.

Can't Examine Morse Before Trial. Supreme Court Justice MacLean decided resterday that Charles W. Morse, the former president of the American Ice Company, need not submit to an examination before trial in the suit brought against him by John E. McDonald to recover \$200,000. McDonald alleges that be invested large sums in Ice stock, on the understanding that Morse would not unload his holdings on the market without giving McDonald warning, and that Morse did unload so that McDonald could not get anything like the price for his stock that he mid paid for it.

DRESS GOODS: Important Reductions To-morrow

With some of our best selling dress goods, of which we had enormous quantities, still unsold, we make radical reductions to-morrow to effect a speedy clearance. It is without question one of the best buying opportunities of the entire year for those who have needs to supply.

\$1.00 Crepe de 69c \$1.50 French Voiles Paris reduced to

Reduced to 89c 75c. Voiles Reduced to

\$1.69 quality silk and to colors. Reduced to to the duced to the duc

\$2.00 quality silk and wool Syd-inch All-Wool Sponged and Shrunk Cheviots, 46-inch So-inch Mohair BRILLIAN-CREPE DE PARIS, in black All-Wool Imported Etamine, 45-inch All-Wool Voile, 46-inch All-Wool Nun's Veiling, 54-inch All-Wool Nub Voile and 54-inch English Sicilian.

Silk and Wool Crepe de Paris, This offering includes all our high-grade Voiles, this offering includes all our high-grade Voiles, the color assortment of fash-single colorings.

This offering includes all our high-grade Voiles, the color assortment at \$1.25 and the color assortment embraces almost an immense variety of light and dark shades.

SILKS: Eight Big Specials for To-Morrow.

From the Black Pongees at 29c. the yard to the Silk Embroidered Taffetas at 69c., every item is at a saving to you. It is unquestionably the strongest silk news we ever presented. Do not miss the sale to-morrow, if you have silk needs of any sort.

At 29c. yard—Our reg-ular 39c. quality BLACK PONGEE, 20-inch, all silk; 1,500 yards. Special Table!

At 45c. yard—Our reg-quality BLACK GUARAN-TEED TAFFETA, 19 inch. Plenty for all day to-morrow!

At 47½c. yard—Our regular 65c. quality COLORED ALL SILK TAFFETA, every color,

Silk Embroidered Tassetas.

POSITIVELY THE BEST BARGAIN OFFERED THIS

At 49c. yard—Our reg-ular 85c. quality COLORED ALL SILK CREPE DECHINE, 24-inch; included are WHITE, IVORY, CREAM and BLACK!

At 68c. yard-Our regular 89c. quality COLORED A L L SILK PONGEE. 30-INCH; great value! All-colors as well as white and black.

At 59c. yard—Our reg-ular 85c. quality BLACK GUARAN-TEED TAFFETA, 27-INCH. SPECIAL OFFERING!

At 69c. yard-Our regular \$1.00 quality BLACK DRESS PEAU DE SOIE, 27-INCH. SPECIAL VALUE!

The Garment Store's Great Monday Values.

Spring and Summer Clothing for women and misses form the basis of one of the biggest and best stocks in this store. Even our regular prices are less, as a rule, than the "specials" of others. What, then, must these specials for Monday be?

VERY SPECIAL

Suits; made from fine French Pan-

ama cloth in black, navy, brown,

champagne or gray. Blouse taffeta

lined; body of blouse and sleeves

tucked; neck trimmed with linen

250 collarless Blouse Walking

White Lawn Waists, in a new model. tucked front with rows of insertion, tucked back, sleeves and stock, 500 rull blouse; value \$1.25, at . . . White Lawn Waists, in bertha effect, trimmed with rows of lace insertion, tucked stock, sleeves and blouse, ORC button back; value \$2.00, at ... Fine Linen Lawn Waists, front of large plaits, hemstitching and English insertion, fancy embroidered stock, sleeves trimmed with band of insertion and new blouse effect; value \$2.50, Ladies' Pique Waists in imported

materials and satin damasks finish and

canvas and braid; best of embroidery. New panel skirt; also misses' sizes 14, 16, 18. A 14.98 With Taffeta drop Skirt, value \$33.50, for \$19.50.

Covert Jackets, fine quality, with Brown Taffeta, collarless, box pleats and tailored seams, with collar or 8.98 shirrings, new box-pleated shirrings shirrings, new box-pleated shirrings shi

Black Taffeta Walking Suit, Pleated Jacket, trimmed around neck and full fronts, fancy braid, box- 25.00 pleat Skirt; \$33.50 suit for... Shirt - Waist Suit. Blue and White Gun Metal, short taffeta waist, double

box pleats, skirt side pleats and straps; an \$18.98 suit Shirt - Waist Suit, Blue and White Brown and White, Jasper and White, Jotted Taffeta, also Brown and White, Blue and White stripe Taffeta; waist trimmed, stitched straps; tucked skirt; \$21.50 suit 16.08

pretty figures of black and white, plaited blouse finished with fancy pearl 195 buttons; value \$3.00, at..... 195 trimmed with taffeta band, 14.98 black Cheviot Jackets, notched collar, lined with gray satin, at... 14.98

Monday Specials in Misses' Apparel.

Girle Wash Dresses, Russian effect and lawn, trimmed with lace; sizes 6 to 14; value \$3.25.

1.98

| Satistic many plain blue and plack cloth and fancy mixed material, all lengths; trimmed with buttons; 3.98

Misses' Suit. Eton and Jacket effects, Girls' Box Coats, also Norfolk effect, G'rls' Wash Dresses in check gingham trimmed with braid, sizes 12 to 18. Regular \$14.00 and \$16.00; special...

One of the string of the trimmed with embroidery and lace insertings; sizes 8 to 14; value 6.98

Misses' Covert Box Coat, I in ed throughout with satin, trimmed with Misses' Skirts in plain blue and black

Splendid Oxfords, Low in Price \$2.00 pair; worth

We place on sale to-morrow morning this splendid lot of Oxfords along with some high-cut Shoes—at \$2 the pair.



They are worth \$3—material, workman-ship and finish being of the very best. Descriptions are the sign-posts to each style. Choose the one you want—and save a Dollar in the price.

wood; handsomely ornamented outside

No. 1-Ladies' best quality hand-turn sole Oxfords: low and high heels; patent leather or kid tips. No. 2—Ladies' best quality kid, ex-tension sole Oxfords; low or extra high Cuban heels; also military heels: patent leather and kid tips.

No. 3-Ladies' best kinds of patent leather turn-sole Oxfords, with high Cuban heeis; very flexible. No. 4-Ladies' all patent leather, flex-ible, turn-sole, Louis XV, heel Oxfords; very stylish lasts. No. 5-Ladies'all patent leather Good-year welt Oxfords; extension soles; high military heels.

-Ladies' tan Russia Calf, Good-year welt Oxfords; extension soles; high military heels; straight tips. No. 7-Ladies' black kid, three-button, flexible Oxfords; pat-ent leather tips; low heels.

Every one of the above styles in A, B, C, D and E widths. Some in double E; lengths 2½ to 8-all half sizes included.

Twenty styles.in Button and Lace Boots; Tan and Black Kid; all newest lasts.

At \$2.00 Instead of \$3.00.

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This lot of Refrigerators is the celebrated Adams "lceberg," which are warranted to render the best possible sort of ser-

We guarantee them to be perfect food keepers. Made of thoroughly seasoned hard-

casings; hand carved; finished in oak antique; solid bronze trimmings; galvanized iron shelves; zinc linings (no wood exposed); self-retaining casters; removable drip pipe; swinging base-board.

And here's the prices-ready in the morning.

Size No. 3—27 in. wide, 18 in. deep, 41 in. high. holds 45 lbs.; regularly \$10.00, sale price...\$8.50 Size No. 4-28 in. wide, 19 in. deep, 43 in. high, holds 60 lbs.; regularly \$12.00, sale price. \$9.98 Size No. 6-30 in. wide, 19 in. deep, 44 in. high holds 65 lbs.; regularly \$13.50, sale price...\$10.95 Size No. 6-32 in. wide, 21 in. deep, 46 in. high holds 75 lbs.; regularly \$15.00, sale price...\$12.95 size No. 7-36 in. wide, 21 in. deep, 46 in. high. holds 100 lbs.; regularly \$20.00, sale price.\$15.00

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lize No. 8-24 in. wide, is in. deep, 50 in. high holds 50 lbs.; regularly \$12.00, sale price. \$6.98 size No. 9-28 in. wide, 18 in. deep, 55 in. high holds 75 lbs.; regularly \$15.00, sale price. \$12.50 bolds 100 lbs.; regularly \$20.00, sale price . \$13.00